

From: contact@engage.vic.gov.au
To: [amendments](#)
Subject: Making a submission Form Submission
Date: Thursday, 9 December 2021 5:15:18 PM



Making a submission Form Submission

There has been a submission of the form Making a submission through your Engage Victoria website.

First name

Vito & Tamara

Last name

Rivaloro & Zagami

Postcode

████

Are you making this submission as:

Jointly

Does your submission relate to an address within the Beveridge North West precinct?

Yes

Email

████████████████████

Daytime contact number

████████

Write your submission

TO: The State Government, Victorian Planning Authority

RE: Amendment C158 Beveridge North West PSP

FROM: Vito Rivaloro & Tamara Zagami
[REDACTED]

We write in firm opposition to the quarry proposed in this amendment.

This quarry will be just over 2000m from our new home and so we will be directly affected by all the issues that we outline here however, the issues have a much broader impact on not just one but two, strongly growing communities.

We chose this area as our home for our growing family because it was far from industrial and metropolitan areas and yet was a growth area that promised sensible community planning. We welcome the growth predicted in the area between Beveridge and Wallan that will bring services to a cohesive community.

We are dismayed to find that anyone could consider dropping a quarry right in the middle of these two areas as a 'good idea'. It is detrimental to the health and wellbeing of the residents present and future on so many levels.

Studies have found a higher prevalence of respiratory symptoms in people who reside close to quarry sites and here we have a quarry that is to be surrounded by residential areas, schools and town centres! We note that a partnership formed between Worksafe and the Alfred Hospital is currently spruiking the dangers of silicosis... it is not only tradesmen who are at risk. What about the children at the schools, the residents in surrounding areas?

We have family living [REDACTED]. Trucks that use this road to access the land being developed at Timbarra Estate near the Hume Hwy. We have from this experienced first hand the noise pollution that this creates. Trucks driving back and forth are a very LOUD intrusion. It forces all doors and windows to be kept closed during work hours. This is a passing thing until the area is developed but if a quarry is approved this will be a daily nightmare for many residents in the area. It cannot be allowed to happen.

The proposed amendment includes vast areas of green parklands. This is commendable but what is the point of lovely parklands if the area is to be flooded with dust noise and truck traffic? NOT GOOD ENOUGH!

It also seems absurd that in the original planning for the growth of these two communities Patterson Road is a major connecting road between the two areas yet the quarry sits right across the path of Patterson Road. In theories of urban geography it is a fact that the services available to a community are directly related to the size and the ability of people to move about. Cutting these communities in two will decrease the viability of certain services to these communities.

Until now, through our voting lives we have staunchly supported the one political party. This issue is so significant that the loyalties of a lifetime will mean nothing should this proposal go ahead and we are not alone in this thinking.

NO QUARRY FOR BEVERIDGE/WALLAN.

Vito Rivaloro and Tamara Zagami

I confirm that I have read and agree to the above conditions for making a submission.

Yes

I agree to the Collection Notice

Yes

To view all of this form's submissions, visit



This is not SPAM. You are receiving this message because you have submitted feedback or signed up to Engage Victoria. If you think you have been sent this by mistake please contact us at contact@engage.vic.gov.au.

[Privacy Policy](#) [Log In to Site](#)

Click [here](#) to report this email as spam.